IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	Examiner:
Syed F.A. Hossainy	Kathleen C Sonnett
Appl. No.: 10/682,278	Art Unit: 3731
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Title: COATING FOR A STENT AND A METHOD OF FORMING THE SAME

Mail Stop **Amendment**
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office action dated January 5, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.